



# PLUMBING

## **I. WHEN IS A PLUMBING PERMIT REQUIRED?**

Permits are required for all new and all replacement fixtures, drains, vents, water systems, sanitary sewer taps and drain lines, storm water sewer tap and drain line, and water service lines.

## **II. WHAT REGULATIONS MUST I MEET?**

All work performed must be in accordance with Chapter 1105 of the Cincinnati Building Code and the Ohio Plumbing Code.

Contact the following agency:  
Plumbing Inspection Section - 352-3280

**NOTE:** For sewer, water and gas line installation contact the following agencies:

Storm water Management - 352-1944  
Metropolitan Sewer District - 244-1330  
Cincinnati Water Works - 591-7825  
Cincinnati Gas & Electric - 287-2522

## **III. WHO CAN PERFORM PLUMBING WORK?**

All plumbing work shall be done by a registered Ohio Plumber, licensed Journeyman Plumber or a registered Apprentice Plumber who is licensed by the City of Cincinnati.

Exception: The owner of a single family residence may do the plumbing work in his/her home provided he/she is the owner, doing the work him/her self and will live in this single family home for at least one year after completion. An affidavit confirming this is required prior to the issuance of the plumbing permit.

## **IV. HOW DO I OBTAIN A PERMIT?**

If your work is being done by a Registered Ohio Plumber, He/she will be responsible for obtaining all plumbing permits.

If you are doing the work yourself (as described in Item III) you may apply for your plumbing permit at 3300 Central Parkway. (Call 352-3280 for more details.)

## **V. INSPECTIONS REQUIRED (24-hour minimum notice)**

Contact the Department of Buildings and Inspections, Plumbing Inspection Section at 352-3280